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	<b>AB</b>	<b>4,415,239</b>	<b>11/15/1983</b>	<b>Humphrey</b>			
↓	<b>AC</b>	<b>4,730,910</b>	<b>03/15/1988</b>	<b>Humphrey</b>			
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